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## RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Honorable Commissioner Of Patents and Trademarks P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action issued July 21, 2008, the period for response having been extended by one (1) month to November 21, 2008, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

This response includes:

Amendments to the claims beginning on page 2; and

Remarks beginning on page 6.